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## Intrusion Detection/Alarm Systems

Security systems can help an organization in a number of ways. Firstly, intrusion detection is probably the most evident way in which an organization will benefit from the installation of an intrusion detection/alarm system. Along those same lines, intrusion detection/alarm systems often deter theft as well as vandalism. How would you feel about 24-hour protection of your assets and resources? Are you currently using an intrusion detection/alarm system to protect against would-be vandals? How often does your organization find it necessary to replace or repair property that has been damaged as a result of vandalism?

Intrusion detection/alarm systems allow for the contact of proper authorities in the event of a security breach. Through easily accessible "panic" buttons employees can provide instant notification - easing their tensions and providing peace of mind by reducing emergency response times.

By performing these functions, intrusion detection/alarm systems allow organizations to lower their risks associated with theft, thereby decreasing costs associated with insurance premiums, decrease costs due to repair or replacement of property or equipment that has been damaged, and improve their bottom line as a direct result of decreasing the replacement costs of stolen or damaged items.

